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LOCAL NEWS

Not what you get
But what you give
Puts value in
The life you live.

Mrs. Herbert Traynor is confined to her home with a nerve infection.

Raymond Davis of Lexington spent the week end with N. C. Gullett and family.

Miss Vivian Bellamy is nursing Mrs. Clifford Ward and baby at Ezel this week.

Watt Pritchard and son, Frederick, of Morehead, were in town yesterday on business.

Miss Kathryn Fannin of Dan is helping her uncle, G. I. Fannin, in the clerk's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Yandal Wrather attended an agricultural meeting in Lexington Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Watson of Manilla, Utah, are visiting his parents near Grayson.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Garriott were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Peyton of Cannel City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Maxey of Elamton were the Thursday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Gullett.

Mrs. D. H. Perry and Mrs. Ted Hugely visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Miller of near Jackson.

Mrs. Will Carter went to Lexington Monday, where she is taking treatments for her head and nerves.

Miss Mildred Salyer is leaving this week for Merryville, Tennessee, where she will attend Merryville college.

Miss Helen Stacy was home a few days between semesters. She returned Monday to Wesleyan college, Winchester.

Mrs. Lawrnce Williams is able to be out again after having spent a week in the Morgan County Hospital with mastoid trouble.

Mrs. Alonzo Elam and son, Gary Lee, were week end guests of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Bellamy, of Morehead.

Mrs. Maude Horde and little grand daughter, Anita, have returned from Florida where they spent the winter and have moved into the Sherman Lewis property.

Mrs. C. K. Stacy thought she had been with the whooping cough so much, that she was surely immune. Now she finds that her terrible cough is nothing more or less than the old-fashioned whooping cough. We extend our sympathies.

Everet Nickell and his brother, Asa, took Mrs. Mona Wells to Middletown, Ohio, Friday to see her grand daughter, Miss Helen Nickell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Nickell. Mrs. Wells stayed until the death of her grand daughter, Monday morning.

Hendrix May of Neal Valley has been night watchman over the federal clothes stored on second floor of Homer Elam's store building. The supply is so greatly reduced that Mr. McCause, Mrs. Cappis' and Hobert Arnett have moved the clothing to rooms on the same floor with the relief office.

Evert L. McCause visited over the week end with his parents in Maysville. Mr. McCause has been here the past few weeks in charge of the federal clothes which the relief office is endeavoring to get to the most needy families. Mr. McCause is doing splendid work. He is kind, courteous and untiring in his efforts to serve. His cooperation is fine and he is well liked by the entire relief force.

MORGAN COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES

Letha Nell Eldridge of Straight Creek was discharged Wednesday after having been treated since Monday with a broken arm.

Dood Allen of White Oak was admitted to the hospital Monday with injuries resulting from a dynamite explosion.

Clay Byrd is undergoing treatment preparing for an operation.

KENTUCKIANS ARE DIFFERENT

The Courier has received from the publishers, The Standard Printing Company, Louisville, Ky., with the compliments of the author, M. B. Morton, the interesting record of the highlights of Mr. Morton's experience and observations during fifty-two years of active newspaper work.

Mr. Morton was for some years city editor of the Courier Journal. He was managing editor of the Nashville Banner for many years. He was also connected with the Atlanta Constitution and the Birmington Age-Herald.

Mr. Morton is a native Kentuckian and for more than a quarter of a century, during the most eventful years of Kentucky history had his finger on the public pulse and was associated with and had the confidence of the men who made Kentucky history more extensively than any other man.

The newspaper man's instinct to proclaim the virtues and ignore the faults of men of whom he writes, are in evidence in every chapter of Kentuckians are Different.

Of the fine tributes paid to prominent persons, mostly Kentuckians, the finest and perhaps most deserved goes to a half breed Washington woman by the name of Nancy McKenzie. After paying a fine tribute to her home making and motherly qualities as exemplified on her forty acres of rich valley land Mr. Morton disposes of her with these words: "Nancy herself has hit the long trail, and who will dare say she lived in vain. She did not know a letter in any book, but she could make herself understood in three or four human languages. She knew the language of the sun, the stars, and the moon, of the wind and the rain. She knew the forests, the mountains, and the prairies, the streams and the lakes and the fish that swim therein. She knew how to take care of herself and how to minister to others. She gained her knowledge from God's university, and knew how to use it. I am almost persuaded she was the best educated woman I have ever known."

SEWING CIRCLE MEETING

The Cannel City Church of God Sewing Circle met with Mrs. M. G. Dunigan January 27, for their regular meeting.

Present were: Mrs. J. D. Benton, Mrs. Bertha Spencer, Mrs. Bruce Oney, Mrs. W. T. Stamper, Mrs. J. W. Benton, Mrs. Charles Briscoe, Mrs. Park Oney, Mrs. M. H. Ferguson, Mrs. Bert Morris, Mrs. M. G. Dunigan, Mrs. Malcolm Walton, Mrs. Marcum Bach, Miss Gladys Benton, Miss Rebecca Spencer, Misses Coleen Patrick and Dolores Ray Ferguson.

The president, Mrs. Stamper, was in charge. Opening hymn, "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be." Mrs. Marcum Bach read 1st Psalm for the devotional.

Mrs. J. D. Benton led in prayer after the regular business session. The work on the quilt was taken up and progressed nicely. During the social hour, the hostess with the assistance of Mrs. Malcolm Walton and Mrs. Charles Briscoe, served delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, coffee, cup cakes and fruit salad. The afternoon was a very enjoyable one. Next meeting will be February 10, with Mrs. J. D. Benton.

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP GROWS

The total membership of the 248,410 churches in the United States is estimated at 64,156,895 by the Rev. Dr. Herman C. Weber, editor of the Yearbook of American Churches, who is considered an outstanding authority in the United States on religious statistics.

Figures for the year 1937 show that the membership of the churches increased twice as fast as the population of this country. While there are two hundred different religious bodies, 97.3 per cent of the total membership is in fifty larger bodies—all with memberships of 50,000 or more.

These statistics should be interesting to citizens who contend that the churches are losing their influence upon American life. While the growth of religion is not to be measured entirely by the number of members of church organizations, the intention and desire of people to lead better lives is reflected by the increasing growth of church memberships.

...r readers ... good neighbors. The Courier for Grade A homes.

BANK ROBBED

The Morgan County National Bank at Cannel City was robbed of all its available cash in the amount of about $2,500 at about 3:30 o'clock on Monday morning, January 30.

Awakened by unusual goings on Magistrate Thomas Richardson proceeded to investigate and discovered burglars leaving the bank building proceeding in the direction of a parked car. When the men did not heed his call of "halt" he fired in the general direction of the fleeing figures who returned the fire. It was quite dark and Mr. Richardson has only a vague idea of even the size. He knows there was more than one person.

Entrance to the bank was made thru a window.

Entrance into the bank safe was by burning the hinges off with an acetylene torch.

The bank's deposits are insured in the Federal Deposit Insurance Co., and there will be no loss to depositors.

The burglars escaped towards Mt. Sterling in the general direction of Ohio. A general alarm was at once sent out, but so far no actual clues have been found of the robbers. They deserve catching and hanging.

KIWANIS CLUB ACTIVE

Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, as this paper is fresh off the press, there will be an open meeting at the West Liberty school auditorium to celebrate the THIRD NATIONAL HYGIENE DAY, as proclaimed throughout the country.

The Kiwanis Club is fortunate in being able to bring to Morgan county for this occasion, such a fine speaker as Dr. John R. Pate, head of the Bureau of Venereal Disease Control of the Kentucky State Department of Health. Dr. Pate will give a beautifully illustrated lecture on SYPHILIS, and will show how and why it is such a menace to the health of the nation. Dr. Pate will be followed on the program by Dr. L. E. Smith, Secretary of the Kentucky Tuberculosis Association, who will present two sound-films: "Muddy Waters," and "Open Your Eyes," the latter being a film on the subject of syphilis.

Since Dr. Thomas R. Parran, Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service, has during the past three years, brought syphilis out of the skeleton-closet, and made it the subject for a broad educational campaign all over the United States, we of Kentucky and of Morgan county are not going to be left behind. We will make syphilis as well understood and as seriousyl combatted as diphtheria, smallpox, or scarlet fever. Syphilis is a communicable disease. Its existence is of immediate concern to the community. We expect to see the people of Morgan county really interested in learning about syphilis, and how we can check its spread.

There is one place in Morgan county where the the educational background is so good, and the general understanding of the problem so keen, that a special showing of Dr. Pate's lecture and Dr. Smith's pictures has been requested, and arranged for. That is at Ezel.

Dr. Pate and Dr. Smith will stop at Ezel in midafternoon, on their way over here to West Liberty, and will give a showing of this same educational material at the Ezel school about three o'clock. All who can attend the Ezel meeting are urged to do so, as we anticipate a crowded house for the evening showing at West Liberty.—Winfred Carpenter, Roy Nickell, Wallace Byrd, M.D., Social Hygiene Committee of West Liberty Kiwanis Club.

Dinner Party

Members of the Morgan County Medical Society and their wives were the dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Wallace Byrd, Monday evening at six o'clock. Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Sparks, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Nickell, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Murray, Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Gullett, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Gullett, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Nickell.

Mrs. Susan C. Fowler, state-wide supervisor of WPA health work, visited Mrs. D. H. Perry last Wednesday when enroute to Paintsville. Mrs. Perry has known Mrs. Fowler since the dedication of West Liberty's high school building. While in town Mrs. Fowler was luncheon guest of Pauline Noble, public health nurse.

COMPANY TO BE LIQUIDATED

Detailed plans for liquidating the stock of McClintock-Field Company, local wholesale drygoods and notions dealer, will be made Monday at a meeting of stockholders adjourned from yesterday.

The stockholders yesterday appointed Joe Reid, department manager, as acting manager of the concern and announcement concerning future plans came from him.

Mr. Reid said the Board of Directors of the company will meet immediately following the meeting of the stockholders Monday. A committee from the stockholders was appointed yesterday to serve with the directors in formulating plans as to how the liquidation will take place.

The concern may be reorganized and the business continued, Mr. Reid said, but added that definite action on this matter will not be taken until the meeting Monday afternoon at 1:30. The reorganization would be arranged by a group of the present stockholders, he said.

A total of 25 percent of the preferred stock, amounting to $111,325 now in process of payment to the 169 stockholders. Disbursement of this amount, which has been turned over to the Second National Bank, was voted at a previous meeting. This leaves a capital stock of $333,975 to be liquidated.

The McClintock-Field Company has operated in Ashland since 1920 and employs 30 persons. The average yearly sales is approximately one million dollars. An area within 100 miles of Ashland is serviced.

Resignation of John T. McClintock, Huntington. as president of the company was not acted upon yesterday. Mr. McClintock underwent an operation Thursday at St. Mary's hospital in Huntington and still is a patient there.—Ashland Independent.

AUTO TRAFFIC

By Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club

SOFT SHOULDERS

Motorists should be particularly cautious about driving off the beaten path onto the shoulder of rural highways during the winter and spring months. Sudden thaws may so soften shoulders that wheels will quickly settle several inches into the soft earth. If the shoulder is water soaked, considerable difficulty may be experienced in getting the vehicle back onto the road proper.

More than that, there is a real hazard to life and property in driving off onto the shoulder, particularly at high speed. As the right front wheel leaves the surfaced portion of the highway, it may sink into the soft earth, creating such a drag to the right that the driver may not not be able to hold the steering wheel, in spite of all efforts to do so. Out of control, the vehicle will hurtle into any object in its path—a telephone pole, guard rail, or possibly roll into a ditch. In any event, the vehicle is likely to be badly damaged and the occupants severely shaken or worse.

If absolutely necessary to drive onto the shoulder, slow down and try to find a section which at least appears dry or hard enough to support the vehicle before leaving the travelled portion of the highway.

"DON'T TRUST TO LUCK—IT MIGHT DESERT YOU"

Today's Roads

KENTUCKY—

US 51 & 45 W Bridge out at Fulton. US 51 traffic detour at Riceville and follow markers to Tennessee State Line.

US 68 Benton-Eggner's Ferry Road Detour via KY 98 to Hardin, KY 95 to Benton.

KY 11 Beatyville-Booneville Road. Bridge closed for repairs. Free ferry provided at Beatyville. Cross load limit, 10,000 pounds.

US 23 Ashland-Catlettsburg Road under construction.

US 25-E Pineville-Middlesboro Road under construction.

Drinking Spree Fatal

Hanover, Pa.—Joseph B. Weaver, 64, and his son, 37, died from the effects of a drinking spree. When their liquor gave out, they began drinking rubbing alcohol and when that was exhausted, they turned to automobile anti-freeze solution.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Trade at home if you expect home-town trade.

Light is to reading what facts are to intelligence.

The main reason newspapers print so much slop about sports is that readers like it.

Any stuffed shirt can tell you the names of other stuffed shirts.

Dictator-nations are working for the piece of the world that they want.

The search for religion is the search for truth, because truth alone comes from God.

Government records in Washington, it is said, are housed in 6,492 rooms. What a record!

Add interesting people: George D. Aiken, Governor of Vermont, defender of State's rights.

Even a business man con do as he pleases he can advertise or let his competitor get the business.

Politics must be peculiar—onepolitician can't tell what another politician means by what he says.

It is surprising how good some businesses become when the Department of Justice institutes a monopoly suit.

The people of the United States can save money by not rearming but they may be saving their money for someone else.

First thing you know, Hitler and Mussolini will propose a world conference for the purpose of satisfying Hitler and Mussolini.

When a man starts his conversation by saying, "Please get me straight," it is very important for the listener to get him straight.

In the midst of the debate and palaver over national defense, it might be well to understand that nothing will be done until the argument is over.

One thing to be said for the bombing of civilian populations—it gives a civilian an equal chance with a veteran to claim a pension after the war.

It requires an unusually soft head to believe that Mussolini is interested in assisting General Franco because he wants the Spanish to have freedom and liberty.

Baseball, it seems, started in 1939. It would surprise some of the original players to witness a big league game today. The salary paid players, however, would surprise them more.

Colonel Frank Knox, Republican vice-presidential nominee in 1936, must like a good fight—he urges the Republican Party to abandon "the present system of excessively high tariffs."

The condition of world trade is reflected by the fact that other nations do not buy American cotton, although early this month the American staple sold for a price equal to 4.28 cents a pound based on the old gold dollar.

BROTHERHOOD MEETING

Ezel, Ky.—Dr. W. S. Webb, head of Physics Department, University of Kentucky, will speak at the Ezel Brotherhood Friday evening, February 3, at p.m. He will speak on the various aspects of his work as Federal Supervisor of Indian Excavations in the Tennessee Valley. Dr. Webb has served as the director of these Indian excavations for the United States Government since it began some eight years ago, and is recognized as an authority in the field of Indian relics and history.

A steak dinner will be served at the school building preceding the address.

Raymond Franklin Davis, senior at the University, will accompany Dr. Webb from Lexington.

Fires 1,000 Job-Holders

Columbus, O.—In an effort to save the State of Ohio $3,000,000 in six months, 465 persons were dismissed from the Ohio Highway Department's payrolls, bringing to more than 1,000 thepersons made jobless in the first week of the new Governor's regime.

NICKELL

Helen Nickell, daughter of Miles Edgar and Edna Nickell, was born November 27, 1922, and died in a hospital at Cincinnati, Ohio, January 30, 1939.

Helen was the grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Asa M. Nickell of this place and her mother is a step daughter of Mrs. Mona Wells. Both families are well known and widely related in this community, and Helen spent the first years of her life here, moving with her parents to Ohio several years ago.

Besides her parents, the deceased is survived by one brother, Harry Nickell, of Hillsboro, Ohio, and many other relatives and friends. She was especially popular among the boys and girls of school age, and a large crowd of students attended the funeral.

The body was brought back to West Liberty Tuesday and funeral services were conducted at the Christian church Wednesday morning by Revs. Harlen Murphy and Rosco Br[illegible]g. Burial was in Salyer cemetery.

FRISBY

Our neighborhood, on last Wednesday, lost one of our noblest and best neighbors, Mrs. Jeff Frisby, 65. She had been in failing health for the past few years.

Mrs. Frisby was one of our Christian leaders. Was a teacher in Sunday school for a number of years and took an active part in all church and revivals and did her part well and lived her profession pure and true. She will be greatly missed by all her neighbors and friends as well as her husband and children. She is survived by her husband, Jeff Frisby, and a noble family of children: Garlan of Harlen county; Montie of Franklin county; James R., Willie, Hanable, Stanley and Mrs. Everett Ratliff all of Middletown, Ohio; Mrs. Raymond Benton of Malone; and Gorman at home; and several grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted by Revs. Harlen McClure, Jack Burton at Flat Woods school house. A large crowd attended.

Patrick and Prater, undertakers, of Salyersville in charge. Burial in Flat Woods cemetery .A FRIEND

MRS. GIBBS DIES

Matilda Jane Barker Gibbs was born in Kentucky, April 20, 1865. She was happily united in marriage to A. Dalphus Gibbs, May 15, 1884. Born to this union were eleven children, six having already gone on before. She and her husband lived a long, happy, contented life, Mr. Gibbs preceding her in death in April, 1934, at the age of 80 years, 6 months and 7 days. Matilda Jane Gibbs departed this life January 23, 1939, at the age of 73 years, 9 months and 3 days.

She leaves to mourn her loss five children, Mrs. Roettia Ferguson, Mrs. Mae Miller, John and Robert Gibbs of Middletown, Ohio; and Benjamin C. Gibbs of Jeffersonville. There are 30 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren as well as 2 brothers, George and Marion Barker and one sister, Angelene Barker, all of Kentucky.

Mrs. Gibbs was a devoted wife and mother, her entire interest being centered in her home and in helping her family to know the right way of living. Many beautiful old fashioned quilts were finished by her willing fingers, often working late into the night.

The greater part of her life she lived in Kentucky, having come to Middletown two years ago. Since that time she has made her home alternately with a son and daughter. "Grandma Gibbs," as she was known by many who loved her, was well known by a large circle of friends.

Having visited her many times during her illness we have heard often her testimony that all is well with her soul. She had no fear of death, for she realized it was just a passing over, to be eternally with her Creator. Singing and prayer were a great joy to her.

The desire to die an easy death was granted, as she passed over, without struggle, looking up she clasped her hands above her and smiled, being conscious until within the hour of her death.

Funeral services at Jeffersonville Christian church by Rev. Harlen Murphy of West Liberty, on Thursday, January 26. Burial in Mt. Sterling cemetery

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THE FARM AND HOME

In selecting eggs for hatching, use those that are fresh, clean and egg-shaped, that weigh 24 to 26 ounces to the dozen, that are strong in shell texture, and free from tint in white-egg breeds. Proper storage temperature is 50 to 60 degrees.

Horses kept in the barn and full-fed on idle days may develop indigestion and swollen legs or "Monday morning disease," a condition resulting from too much feed and too little exercise. Idle horses, even in winter, should have the run of pasture fields.

Comfort is the first consideration in selecting sleeping facilities. Bedsteads should be steady and substantial, and springs and mattresses conducive to good sleep. Sheets large enough to stay tucked in and plenty of light-weight covers are important.

It is dangerous to turn on an electric light while the other hand touches the water faucet. It is dangerous to touch any electrical connection while in a wet bathtub. An electric iron, if left connected when not in use, can burn up the house.

Stains on clothing can be removed usually, and should be removed as soon as possible, since changes brought about by drying, exposure to air, washing, soap or ironing may make them difficult or even impossible to correct. There is no universal stain remover.

The orphan lamb may be fed with an ordinary nursing bottle and nipple, giving fresh cow's milk at body temperature. Feed regularly every two or three hours in small amounts, such as two or three tablespoons. Keep bottle and nipple clean.

SOIL CONSERVATION PRACTICES

Farmers of Kentucky are treating large acreages with superphosphate and lime. This is as it should be, notes Prof. George Roberts of the Agricultural Experiment Station at Lexington, for in most parts of the state this treatment is necessary to good growth of legumes, without which the soils cannot be economically brought to a high state of production and kept there.

However, the higher yields of legumes, and consequently of other crops following the legumes, make a much heavier draft upon the other plant nutrients in the soil, particularly potash. A four-year rotation of crops yielding 50 bushels of corn, 25 bushels of wheat and 3tons of hay per acre removes from the soil about 150 pounds of potash. If no manure or potash fertilizer is returned to the soil, it will not be long until crops will suffer from potash deficiency. Fortunately about nine-tenths of the potash in feed consumed by animals is returned in the excrement. About two-thirds of this is in the urine and is lost if not absorbed by bedding. Manure exposed to rain loses a very large part of its potash.

About three-fourths of the potash in grain crops is in the straw and stalks, which should be carefully saved and passed through the stalls as bedding. Tobacco stalks contain a large amount of both nitrogen and potash, much of which is lost if tobacco stalks are exposed to rain before spreading.

Alfalfa hay contains about 40 pounds of potash per ton; hence, if 3 tons of hay are removed annually for five years, about 600 pounds of potash are removed. No soil can stand this drain very long, says Prof. Roberts. It is not economical to provide potash for alfalfa by applying manure directly to the crop, for it supplies nitrogen to alfalfa which it can get from the air. Either alfalfa should be grown in rotation withmanured crops like corn, or if it occupies the land for a longer period it should be fertilized with a potash fertilizer along with other needed fertilizers. No soil can continue productive unless provision is made for the return of what is removed.

A farmer can easily test the need for potash by applying muriate or sulphate of potash at the rate of 100 pounds per acre on a small plot that has been treated with phosphate and comparing it with a small plot that has been treated with phosphate only.

WASHINGTON NOTES

Scrap Metal

Government regulation of all exports of scrap metals to conserve national supplies vital in war times is under consideration and Senator Schwellenbach would license such exports. It is pointed out that exports of scrap iron increased from 227,500 long tons in 1932 to 4,095,000 in 1937. Japan increased purchases from 164,500 to 4,091,000 tons. Italy jumped to her buying from 6,700 tons to 351,400 tons. Great Britain's purchases moved from 1,000 tons to 845,000. German buying increased from 100 tons to 88,000.

Cruise

The President is expected to leave Washington, if posible, about February 20th for a cruise in the South Atlantic and Caribbean to watch the fleet in its war manoeuvers. He is expected to be on the seas for ten days or two weeks and to add another 3,000 miles or more to his travel record.

150,000 Jobs

The importance of the Republican purge in the November elections is seen in the estimate of the Republican National Committee that 150,000 major and minor jobs fell into the hands of Republicans as a result of the capture of 14 new governorships and offices in 400 county seats.

Recovery

Even if Congress cuts the relief appropriation, business experts believe that recovery momentum, already gained, will offset the cut and that a longer recovery period will follow the present check to industry. Of course, a war in Europe would upset their calculations.

135,500,000

Broad changes in present laws and procedure are recommended by the Special Committee appointed by the President to study the problem of eliminating duplications in governmental questionaires and forms required of business men. Last year, the committee reports, business concerns had to fill out 135,500,000 reports.

Air Strength

While almost every leading nation keeps its air strength as secret as possible, a recent estimate gives Germany 10,000 planes, Italy 7,000, England 5,000, the United States 4,300, France 4,000, and Russia, an uncertain estimate of about 8,000 planes. If Congress adopts the President's message on national defense, funds will be provided for between 3,500 and 4,000 planes. On the basis of present world line-ups, it is estimated that Germany, Ietaly and Japan can muster 21,000 planes in air, while France and Great Britian have only 9,000.

3 To 2 Against War

Despite the reports of American Ambassadors in the European countries,many observers agree that the odds are three-to-two against war in Europe in 1939. This is based on the belief that Hitler expects gains in Eastern Europe without war and is, therefore, unwilling to plunge Germany into a fight to create an empire for Italy. Besides, if Franco triumphs in Spain, the strategic position of the Germany-Italian combination will be strengthened and both countries will have a new zone for economic exploitation.

Author?

According to the United States News, President Roosevelt's budget mesage, in which he accepted the theory of spending to promote recovery, was prepared by the Treasury Department which has heretofore opposed the theory. It is asserted that no spending theorist saw the message before its delivery.

Only One

The only aircraft manufacturer in this country which failed to accede to Secretary Hull's request that American airplanes and equipment not be sold to countries using them to bombard civilian populations was the United Aircraft Corporation, of New Hartford, Connecticut. As late as last month, it obtained a license to export 600 propeller blade forges, valued at $102,000, to Japan.

BOB JONES' COMMENTS

We read in the book of Lamentations for a man to bear the yoke in his youth. I believe in child welfare work, but I do not believe in child idleness. Responsibilities should be put upon young people. They should be hitched to some of the load of life and be made to pull this load. We are coddling American youth. Our fathers walked to school. They traveled muddy roads and walked across swollen creeks on foot logs. They went early and stayed late. But in spite of our limited knowledge of preventive medicine, many of them managed to live and build their civilization. It is true that children have died from disease germs and from a lack of enough fresh air, and some of them have died from undernourishment and many have died from lack of medical attention, but in my wide experience I do not remember to have ever known a child to die from overwork or from having responsibilities. In our effort to protect our youth from disease and injury we have too often taken away from them the yoke of responsibility and have unfitted our young people for the burdens and responsibilities of middle age. Even in some of our social reform work we have bankrupt characters. The students who come to the Bob Jones College from homes where they have never had responsibility prove to be our most difficult students. The ones who have known something about responsibility usually fit into our educational and spiritual program.

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"I am not afraid that I cannot make a living if I keep my health and mental faculties because I was reared on a farm in Alabama when Grover Cleveland was president of the United States." That is what a prominent lawyer said to the writer recently. That statement is most significant. I remember the depression. Whether Grover Cleveland or someone else was responsible for the depression is not the important point. There was a real depression. I, personally, was on a farm as a little boy. Times were hard. People were hungry. There was no money to buy clothes, but it never occurred to us that the government should send us a monthly check or that we should have financial relief from any governmental source. We ate corn bread and molasses. We lived through it. We may have been a little undernourished, but we built some character. I believe in charity and in certain kinds of relief, but it is mighty hard to help people and not hurt them. Men in America are suffering from a leaning complex. That is the reason the highways of America are crowded with university and college graduates who have no work to do. These young people have not been trained in initiative. They have not developed creative powers. Their approach to life is not right. The resources of this nation are practically untouched. There are thousands of jobs that young people could create. Our fathers would have created them The modernistic, behavioristic, self-expression, do-as-you-please, have-your-own-way, educational philosophy is largely responsible for the "softies" we are turning out from colleges and universities.

With KENTUCKY Editors

Some people claim that newspapers feature too much crime and give too little space to the doers of good deeds. Maybe they should carry more items like this: "John Doe was in town Saturday. He stayed sober all day."—Hart County News.

Lawson Mabry, 10-year-old son of Jack Mabry, of Mayfield, Ky., succumbed to tetanus Tuesday. The infection followed a facial injury received when struck by a weed arrow while playing "cowboys and Indians" two weeks ago.—Dawson Springs Progress.

Greenup, Ky.—One of the most scorching reports in recent years was returned to Circuit Judge Harvey L. Parker, Jr., by members of the grand jury here for the January term. The jury, in its report stated that the body possessed positive evidence that the state of Kentucky had been defrauded by padded payrolls, that checks had been forged and that money had been fraudulently received and used for political purposes. They were unable to secure a true bill, because they lacked a vote of nine or more members of the jury. The final jury report also requested that the next grand jury look into the fiscal affairs of the city of Greenup.

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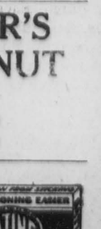
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MORGAN COUNTY SCHOOL PAGE

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WEST LIBERTY SCHOOL NEWS

Free Movies Third National Social Hygiene Day

West Liberty school auditorium, Thursday, February 2, 7 p.m. Sponsored by West Liberty Kiwanis Club. At this meeting Dr. John R. Pate of the Kentucky State Department of Health, will give an illustrated lecture on syphilis. This will be followed by two talking pictures: "Muddy Waters," and "Open Your Eyes." Admission Free. All children over ten years old invited.

Percentage of attendance for the fifth month of school:

Mrs. Turner 94
Mrs. Burton 95.6
Miss Whitt 87
Miss Carter 87
Mrs. Byrd 92
Miss Cox 95
Mr. Burton 97.3
Mr. Barber 98
Mr. Cook 96.5
Mr. Nickell 99
Mrs. Byrne 99
Mrs. Allen 98

MORNING

The cock crows,
"Cock-a-doodle-do,
What's wrong with you,
Lazy ones,
Night is through?"
Day is near
The whippoorwill's
Lonesome trill
Fills the air
Then is still.
Darkness lifts,
Morning dawns,
Stars that shone
Leave the sky
One by one.
Birds twitter
In the trees
Whose leaves
Rustle gently
In the breeze.
"Peace on earth
Good will to men."—
Never truer than when
Wafted to earth
On morning's wind.
Nature rejoices;
Everywhere
Tree and flower
Praise the Creator
For His loving care.
For a moment
Time is reversed
And the earth
To her primitive
State reverts.
Man regains
His fallen estate,—
Unshackled by hate—
His unity with nature
That only love can make.
Convention banished,
He lifts his eyes
To the skies
Sending praise
To God for life.
The sun rises;
In his brilliant rays
Dreams fade away—
Man is only man
This just another day.

JESSE COTTLE

FIRST GRADE

The following are on the honor roll for the fifth month of school:

Gene Reese, James Melvin Haney, Donald Williams, Garland Turner, Junior Ketterhagen, Harold G. Elam, Josephine Turner, Herschell McKenzie, Lowell Carter.

Donna Reed, Ruth Evelyn Franklin, Irene Stacy and Larry Scott Blevins have returned to the first grade room after several week's absence with whooping cough.

Second Grade Honor Roll

Betty Henry, Bettie Wrae Howard, Dickie Black, Marita Traynor, Helen Faye Sebastian, Imogene Sheets, Pauline Blair, J. B. Nickell, Bert Cox, Joyce Howard, Mary Louise Elam, Gwendolyn Franklin, George R. Bellamy, Gene Carter, Lillian Salyer, Avery Tyree.

Basketball

On Tuesday night of last week the basketball team of Coach Burton met the strong quintet of Salyersville on the latter's floor. The West Liberty boys played superior ball the first three quarters. The last quarter was rough. Each team making many fouls. The officiating was somewhat questionable during the last quarter. Anyway West Liberty was on the short end of the score by 17-15.

On Tuesday night of next week the local quintet will be host to the strong team of Betsy Layne. This game is expected to be one of the best games of the season.

New pupils entering the sixth grade second semester are: Gerald Literal, White Oak; Willis Turner, Wells Hill; Hershell Nickell, Florress; Tommy Williams, San Francisco, Cal. Honor Roll—Dewey Greear, Harold Bellamy, Betty Jo Whitt.

CANNEL CITY SCHOOL NEWS

Joyce Henry, Charles Walter, Charles Sebastian, Carl, Edwin and Marvin Lacy were visitors of our school last Friday.

The following pupils have a perfect attendance record for the fourth month: Fifth grade—Elizabeth Allen, Delores Jean Davidson, Hallie Mae Donovan, Vernice Hurt, Loretta Lykins, Zollie Gibbs, Junior Easterling, Billy Phipps, Charles Williams and Roberta Lewis. Sixth Grade—Filmae Haney, Vivian Osborne, Ruth Taulbee, Juanita Vance, Paul Dunigan, Everett Nickell, Loren Wells, Ira Ferguson, Junior Stacy and Lucille McQuinn. James L. Peyton, teacher.

Russell Lacy and Eddie Lykins entered Miss Spencer's room Monday.

The PTA will hold its regular meeting Monday night, February 6.

The Sophomore class gave a party Wednesday night in the gym. Those present were: Wendell Nickell, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murphy, Edna Dunnigan, Ronald Perkins, Orvin King, Hortence Arnett, Edward Vance, Wanda Ferguson, Billie Howard, Melovee Ferguson, Gladys Burton, Lawrence Haney, Arnold Williams, Bishop Benton, Norine Dunn, Ruth Benton, Geneva Benton, Francis Lewis, Junior Walters, Alcedo Walters, Russell Wilson, Courtney Dunigan, Ray Lacy, Paul Perkins, Kenneth Stacy, Ventis Nickell, Forest Lacy, Bill Elam and Ottomae Combs. They played games and enjoyed refreshments of candy. All reported a good time. We hope to give a Valentine party February 14.

Hortence Arnett spent the night with Wanda Ferguson and came to the class party.

Reporters: RALPH PERKINS AND BILLIE J. DAVIDSON.

WONDER WHY????

Bonnie Bailey was absent from school Friday?

Lillian Nickell wouldn't help Billie Davidson teach Friday?

Flora Benton gets "pink" envelopes?

Olove Byrd blushes?

Bonnie Long is such an excellent student?

Bishop Benton does so well in Am. History?

The teachers are going to give a lot of D'merits???

Connie Elam is so small?

The Junior boys like parties?

Ralph Perkins likes to write poems?

Edith Stacy was so dressed up Monday?

COTTLE SCHOOL NEWS

Our school year has come to a close. We feel we have accomplished a great deal. Our attendance for the entire year has averaged 93 per cent. This is above the average for most country schools. The sixth month there were 27 that had perfect attendance. The seventh month there were 31 that didn't miss a day. There were 21 that received presents for good attendance the entire year. Five out of 21 missed one half day on account of sickness. The following persons received presents for good attendance:

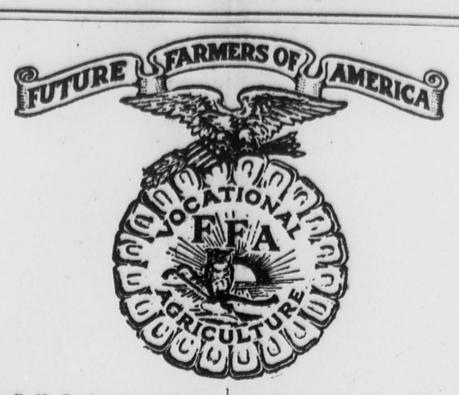
First grade—Lula Williams, Raymond Bishop; second grade—Alice Carter, Ernest Carter, Earl Crouch; fourth grade—Ivory Carter, Geraldine Day, Anna Peyton, Hattie Cox, Cecil Bishop, Charles Grose, Clifford Carter; fifth grade—Norma Cox, Elizabeth Crouch, Denzil Day; sixth grade—Bertha Cox, Norma Grose; seventh grade—Justine Day, Mary Carter; eighth grade—Myrtle Peyton, Darlene Day.

The small children have been enjoying their supplementary readers. Most of them have read six different books in the last month.

The last day of school we took a picture of all the school children in a group and a picture of all that had perfect attendance.

The children all enjoyed their sack of candy and seem to be pleased with their presents. We were all anxious for school to come to a close in one way and in another we all hate to see the last day. We have learned a lot about all the children, their dispositions and personalities. We have been with the children and learned to love them and have a feeling of sadness as we leave. We hope you all have a good school year next year. You must all study hard.—Teachers, MR. AND MRS. OREAR ELAM.

The Senior class held a business meeting Monday in the senior room. The president, Olene May, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Grace Allen was elected sponsor. The class voted that their motto be "Ending but Beginning." The class flower chosen was pink roses and pink and silver were the class colors.



The M. C. H. S. chapter of Future Farmers of America held its regular meeting Tuesday, January 24, in Agriculture room.

The chairmen of the following committees made a report of the work done by their committees.

There were twelve visitors present who considered membership in FFA.

The chapter set up the following activities for the year which they expect to carry out.

SUPERVISED PRACTICE

Chairman, Robert Cottle; Secretary, Hudson Oldfield; Members, Asa Kemplin; Members, Emerson Brown.

1. Each boy have at least three projects.
2. Encourage each boy to have pure bred livestock.
3. Sponsor a contest selecting the most outstanding individual farm practice program.
4. Encourage members to take improvement projects.
5. Encourage members to exhibit in local county fair.
6. Do farm shop work as much as possible.
7. Cooperate in buying feeds and fertilizer. Also in selling products.
8. Set standards for each boy to attain.
9. Each senior try to have his projects completed before graduation.

Cooperation Committee:

Chairman, S. E. Craft; Secretary, Pearl Long; Member, Lacy DeLong.

GOALS SET

1. Purchase cooperatively, products used by members in supervised practice.
2. Sell cooperatively, products produced by chapter members.
3. Cooperate with school form and other community organizations in sponsoring worth while school and community activities.
4. Finance and insure farm practice cooperatively.
5. Purchase cooperatively and distribute to contestants and to boys' parents, flowers, shrubs, trees. Spray material and paint and others used in home beautifications and improvement campaigns.

Community Service :

Chairman, Clint Potter; Secretary, Samuel Oldfield; Member, Ollie B. McGuire.

1. Sponsor an FFA community fair.
2. Sponsor a community beautification and improvement program.
3. Sponsor a program to protect valuable wild life in the community.
4. Sponsor a home beautification and improvement campaign, offering suitable prizes to contestants attaining certain standards of achievements.

Leadership Committee:

Chairman, Clifton Carpenter; Secretary, Charles Whiteaker; Member, Walter Oldfield.

1. Each member of the chapter serve on some committee, and preside over some meeting during the year.
2. Provide training in parliamentary procedure for all boys.
3. Encourage boys for state farmer degrees.
4. Train boys for office of state association.
5. Select delegates for state FFA convention.
6. Select members in state public speaking, contests, impromptu contests, essay contests or any local contest.
7. Train boys for leadership in all community activities.

Earnings and Savings Committee:

Chairman, Stuart Lawson; Secretary, Grover Fredrick; Treasurer, Clint Potter; Member, Edward Adams.

1. Sponsor at least two programs to raise funds for the chapter.
2. Each member of the chapter earn and save enough money to raise him to the next degree.
3. Encourage each member to have his own bank account.
4. Sponsor a contest and award suitable prizes to the three boys earning and investing the largest amount in farming during the year.
5. Interest local bankers in the thrift program and devote at least two meetings to thrift during the year.
6. Pay individual and chapter dues on time.
7. Make FFA chapter budget and work out plans to raise the funds.

Conduct of Meetings:

Chairman, Harlan Lykins; Secretary, Robert Potter; Member, Charles Haney; Member, Delbert Trimble.

1. Hold regular chapter meetings every two weeks and special meetings when necessary.
2. Plan and pass programs for meeting two weeks in advance of the meeting date.
3. Conduct meetings according to the ritual in the FFA manual and use all the regalia called for.
4. Follow rules of parliamentary procedure in all meetings.
5. Have outside speakers occasionally.
6. Initiate Green Hands and Future Farmers according to the ritual. Elect honorary members.
7. Invite interested business men occasionally.

Scholarship Committee:

Chairman, L. D. DeHaven; Secretary, Ova Tyree; Member, Joseph Peyton.

1. Each member of class be in upper one-fourth of class in all school subjects. Each member maintain at least an average of "C" or above in all subjects.
2. Post FFA honor roll each month.
3. Arrange for conferences between instructors and pupils doing unsatisfactory work.

Recreation Committee:

Chairman, Bronson Phipps; Secretary, Dewey Potter; Member, Orin Elam; Member, Rudolph Walch.

1. Have at least two parties during the school year.
2. Sponsor a chapter athletic team.
3. Provide suitable entertainment for some of the regular meetings.
4. Have a tour for the chapter and visit some farm in the Blue grass.

Information Committee:

Chairman, Lee Lykins; Secretary, Armon Lewis; Member, Clay Ratliff; Reporter, Ford Meadows; Member, Earl Ross.

1. Publish at least four news letters.
2. Sponsor a column in and make regular contributions to the local paper.
3. Cooperate with supervised practice committee in conducting a project visiting tour for business men, board members, farmers and other interested persons.
4. Keep a chapter scrap book.
5. Sponsor a chapter exhibit in a local fair or show.
6. Erect an FFA sign near the school or on a main highway leading into town.

Third Grade News

Honor roll for fifth month: Ella Mae Cox, Larue Peyton, Wendell Brown, Kenneth Carpenter, Edward Lykins, Harold Rose.

Six others were able to make a standing of B and above but had been absent or tardy.

We are very sorry that Betsy Tyler is still very ill. The third grade surprised her with a fruit shower Thursday afternoon. We hope she will soon be back in school.

We welcome Carl and Billy Carpenter to the third grade.

The third grade boys have divided into two teams to play basketball at their gym period.

In a very interesting game Monday the Wildcats whipped the Tigers with a score of 8 to 6

The two teams are:

TIGERS—

Wendell Brown, Captain, Walter Blevins, Harold Rose, J. C. Lykins, Billy Carpenter, Edward Lykins, Edgar Lykins, Clarence Black, Jimmy D. Howard.

WILDCATS—

Russell Williams, Captain, Wayne Friend, Larue Peyton, Edward Short, James Caskey, R. C. Holbrook, Carl Carpenter, Billy Ratliff, Kenneth Carpenter.

CROCKETT SCHOOL NEWS

Those who have had perfect attendance for the fourth month are: sixth grade—McCoy Smith, Finford Hutchinson, Norwood Barker, Willie Skaggs, Graydon Sloas. Honor Roll for sixth grade—McCoy Smith.

Seventh grade—Iris Hutchinson, Norwood Barker.

We have had several absences this month because of colds, but we are hoping to have better attendance next month.

The Boones and Penns are still fighting with the Penns leading for the first time. We organized a school club the other day which we called the Boone-Penn club. Iris Hutchinson was elected president, Clyde Ferguson, vice president, and secretary, Norwood Barker. Committees have been appointed to arrange for a hike.

We are planning a program for the next PTA meeting.

Our basketball club is still very active and looking forward to getting a game with the grade team at

SIXTH AND SEVENTH GRADES

In the third, fourth and fifth grades the following students have a perfect attendance for the fifth month: Third grade—Voudie Smith, Edward Barker, Russell Fyffe.

Fourth grade—Linvel Barker, Roy Barker, Herbert Skaggs, Winford Wolfenborger, Mary L. Barker, Mary Hutchinson.

Fifth grade—Olive Keeton, Mary Nickitos, Minnie Skaggs, Myrl Skaggs Jim Ball, Frank Conley, Arlie Cox, Bill Fannin, Curt Ferguson, Earl Keeton.

The following pupils of the primary grades have perfect attendance for the fifth month of school: Second grade — Bernice Roseberry. First grade—Lawrence Hutchinson, Leo Fyffe, Harry Fyffe, and Bert Roseberry.

The second grade is glad to welcome to their class, Vivian Pelfrey, from Jeptha, Ky.

We were very glad to have one of our patrons, J. L. Lyon, visit our room this week. He found us working on a unit, "The Clothes We Wear."

BURNED FOREST ACRES

Winchester, 1|26|39.—Nine hundred forty-six acres escaped injury for every one damaged by fire in 1938 within the 158 National Forests, according to the forest fire report for that year by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Only 77 fires or slightly more than one-half of one per cent of the fires on the 158 National Forests in 1938 burned more than 300 acres.

A total of 13,404 fires was reported on all National Forests in 1938, an increase of about 2,000 over 1937 and nearly 3,000 more than the annual five-year average from 1933 to 1937. Most of the increase in number of fires on National Forests in 1938 was in man-caused fires, and nearly all of that increase was reported in the Central Mississippi Valley States and in the Southern States. These sections of the country combined to furnish 4,878 of the total of 5,218 man-caused forest fires on all National Forests. Only 130 man-caused fires were reported from the Rocky Mountain Region, which include National Forests in Colorado, the eastern part of Wyoming, South Dakota, and Nebraska.

Man-caused fires comprised 57 per cent of all those started in the National Forests in 1939, an increase of six per cent over 1937 but a decrease of two per cent from the annual five-year average of 1933-37.

The total 1938 burn was 219,178 acres or 1,057 acres per million acres protected. This was only 69 percent of the annual burn of 1,520 acres per million during the five-year period 1933-37.

The Forest Service says that the highest recorded burn of any year occurred in 1910 when 25,642 acres per million were burned over. The lowest recorded burn was in 1937 when only 500 acres per million were burned over.

Dry weather was largely responsible for the increased number of man-caused fires in 1938, according to Roy Headley, Chief of the Division of Fire Control of the Forest Service.

The decrease in burned acreage per million protected compared to the five- [illegible] attributed to increased [illegible] of fighting forces [illegible] ment, more man power, [illegible] facilities such as roads, telephone lines, and lookout towers. He says that great assistance has been given by the CCC not only in improving transportation and communication systems on the public forests, but in helping to fight fires which occur.

$1.50 brings you the Courier one year.

CHILD HEALTH CONFERENCE

The Health Department wishes to announce that Friday, February 3, at 1 to 3 p.m., there will be a child health conference at the office of the health department in West Liberty. All who have children under six years of age are invited to bring them down for examination and advice concerning their health problems. This service is free to all, and is offered with the full sanction and cooperation of the physicians of this region.

One of the most important kinds of work that a health department can do is to help protect the health of the babies and small children, for it is on these that our future citizenry depends. There is not a baby in Morgan county that would not benefit by regular attendance for health examinations. The purpose of the health examination is not to cure sickness that has already developed; but to prevent it before it occurs. An ounce of prevention is worth many pounds of cure. The mother who brings her child to the Child Health Conference regularly will find that she has gained by it the following things:

1. The protection of her child against those diseases for which we have a highly effective preventive treatment: diphtheria, smallpox, typhoid fever.
2. She will have been advised and aided in solving many problems concerning the growth and development of her child.
3. She will have received free health educational literature concerning many important diseases and other health matters that may be of interest to herself or to the family.
4. She will have had called to her attention any indications of trouble in the health of her child while the trouble is still in the early stages, and in time for correction to do the most good.

I do not know of any habit that is better for the health of a people than one which is said to be a custom among the Chinese. The Chinese, so the story goes, pay their doctors, not to cure them, but to keep them well.

The Child Health Conference is an open door through which the children of Morgan county may enter into a healthier and a happier life. Lead them to it, Friday, 1 to 3 p.m.—WALLACE BYRD, M.D., Director, Morgan County Health Department.

BOY SCOUT WORK

Boy Scout Week will be observed not only by the scouts of the United States but by the people of the country as well. The special week, which begins February 8, marks the 29th anniversary of scouting in this country.

We are advised by Scout authorities that there are 39,750 Boy Scout Troops, Cub Packs and Sea Scout Ships, with 1,233,950 boys and men and that since the beginning of scouting in America 8,400,000 boys and men have been identified with the movement.

The COURIER is glad to congratulate the Boy Scouts upon their progress and to express the hope that the movement will grow in numbers throughout the nation. Scouting depends upon the volunteer work of responsible adults who serve as scoutmasters and troop officials and, in our commendation, they deserve special recognition.

The Boy Scout movement can be no stronger than the leaders of the boys in any given community. Unless there are unselfish adults, ready to serve as leaders, the scout work will inevitably falter. Considering the great appeal that scouting has to the average young American it seems reasonable to believe that there will be men everywhere to help the boys of America to be trained in the ways of Scoutcraft.

Births

Being the official record of the Registrar of Vital Statistics for Morgan County during the past week.

Mrs. Walter Williams, January 17, a boy—Ronnie Max Williams.

Mrs. Donald Caskey, January 20, a boy—Darrel Gene Caskey.

Mrs. Willie Gamble, January 21, a girl—Vivian Gamble.

Mrs. Clifford Ward, January 25, a girl—Susan Ann Ward.

Mrs. Alva Riggsby, January 20, a boy—Talmadge C. Riggsby.

DEATHS

Mrs. Jeff Frisby, January 26, Liberty Road, age 64.

W. C. Nickell, January 24, Florress, age 77.

WANTED

Two Men With Cars
If $40 per week interests you, write
I. A. MYERS
Gen. Delivery, West Liberty, Ky.

CANNEL CITY

Jan. 31.—Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Allen of Cincinnati, A baby boy. The baby only lived 29 hours and was brought here at Cannel City Saturday night to Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlen Davis, and was buried at the Stinson cemetery Sunday morning.

J. C. Walton, who is in a CCC camp at Morehead, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Francis Walton.

Mrs. Garsie Williams was called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Calvin Combs of Insko.

Junior Walton left Saturday for his mother's, who lives in Detroit, Michigan. LONESOME

SPAWS CREEK

Jan. 30.—Deward Dennis of this place made abusiness trip to Morehead Saturday.

Delbert Johnston of West Liberty moved to G. C. Wingo's property of this place Saturday.

Junior Wingo and James B. Patrick of this place were the guests of Billy Elam of West Liberty Saturday afternoon.

Charlie Cottle of near West Liberty was in this community Monday on business.

The school year of 1938 was a successful year, conducted by Eddie Cantrill. We are hoping 1939 will be just as successful.

Good news to the Courier and all its readers. SUN BROTHERS

MIZE

Tides and high water have been raging in this vicinity over the week end.

Mrs. Courtney Cecil and children visited her mother-in-law over the week end, who lives near West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodford and Maggie Pieratt visited Curt Jackson's Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Cecil and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Nickell and little son, Roger Lee, were 6 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Woodford and Mrs. Maggie Pieratt. Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Cecil left for Morehead college Sunday where Mr. Cecil will resume his college work.

Mize school closed this week. Several pupils carried home perfect attendance gifts; two of them were Franklin and D. S. Jackson.

GREEAR

Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Blevins and Albert Lewis spent last week with friends and relatives at Combs and Glomawr in Perry county.

Miss Lucille Greear, who is attending school at Morehead, was home for the week end.

Mort Music of Blackwater spent the latter part of last week visiting relatives here and at Grassy.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Carter and baby of Grassy were the Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corbert Ferguson.

Creed F. Stacy was in this vicinity one day last week on business.

Phil Gose of Ohio visited relatives here part of last week and was accompanied home by his nephew, Drexel Brown.

J. H. Gose of Woodsbend, was the Sunday night guest of his sister, Mrs. Russell Brown and family.

Several of the folks from here are attending the revival which is being held at Grassy Lick.

STACY FOORK

Feb. 2.—Henry Morris, Jr., who has been ill all fall and winter with heart trouble is slowly improving. Dr. Nickell has good hopes of his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Rexford Byrd of West Liberty spent Sunday with Mrs. Byrd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Haney.

Miss Billie Jean Ratliff is spending the week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hobert B. Arnett of West Liberty.

Mrs. Sam Henry Ratliff, who has been ill for a few days, visited Dr. Henry in Winchester and is now gaining her health back nicely.

Miss Hester Jane Arnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hager Arnett, spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. South Arnett, of Blue Diamond.

Mrs. Haden Ratliff, who has been given treatment by Drs. Bullock and Pennington in Lexington for a goiter, is improving nicely. She was to see the doctors last week end. They were pleased with her improvement.

Mr. Bernard Haney, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Haney, left Sunday for school at Morehead State Teachers College. He graduates this spring. Other students from here are attending there this semester.

Miss Elizabeth Adair Burton, who has been teaching at Oak Hill, returned to her parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Burton, last week end.

Best wishes to the Courier and its many friends.

Dakota Ferguson of Lockland, Ohio spent the week end with his family. A PAL

MIDDLE FORK

Mrs. Amanda Gilliam of Straight Creek is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hillard Smith, for awhile.

Robert and Bee Smith were the week end guests of relatives at Elamton.

Clarence Wright, who is attending college at Morehead, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wright, from Wednesday till Monday.

Mrs. Pearlie Day was the guest of Mrs. Emma Smith one day last week

James V. Day and family left Saturday for Morehead where Mr. Day will attend school. BROWN EYES

FLAT WOODS

Jan. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Robison spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Mart Robison of Goad Ridge.

Mrs. Pearl Lewis and Mrs. Mollie Henry of Licking River, attended the funeral of Mrs. Frisby here Friday and spent the evening with Mrs. G. B. Cox.

Mrs. Earl Kemplin and Miss Ora Gose were the Friday night guests of Mrs. Finley Gose.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barber of Dehart attended the funeral of Mrs. Frisby here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Henry of Detroit, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Collinsworth of Lykins visited over the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fugate, of Hill Top. UNCLE ZIP

LACEY

Jan. 30.—Miss Clara Risner of Portsmouth, Ohio, is visiting relatives here.

Bertha Gullett of this place and Edgar Blanton of Wheelersburg, were married Saturday of last week.

Dorothy Adams of Flat Fork and Ray Arnett of Bloomington were married last Thursday.

Miss Mary Ferguson of Ophir was in this section Saturday.

Mrs. Leslie Wheeler and little son, Callis C., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ferguson, at Ophir.

Mrs. W. S. Estep and Dosha McGuire left for Ohio this morning to visit friends and relatives.

Hobert Blanton, who has been working at Ashland spent the week end with his wife and three children, and returned to his work this morning.

Miss Zula Skaggs of Plutarch, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clayton Montgomery, of this place, returned home today. LINDA

MIZE

Jan. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Havens and children of Grassy Creek and Corbet Rowe of Mt. Sterling spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Risner.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Fugate spent one day recently with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Oldfield.

Ervin Mays will move soon to R. K. Nickell's tenant house on the Clarence Havens farm.

Misses Nancye and, Mable and Donn Gibson of New Cummer spent from Friday until Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Havens.

J. A. Oldfield made a business trip to West Liberty one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Caldwell and children spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Menifee county.

Glen Edward Havens of Grassy Creek spent the week end with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Joel Havens.

Junior Ferguson, who got his fingers cut off, is improving nicely.

PAYTON

Jan. 30.—The Lord has cause to call another of His children, J. J. Perkins. Born April 27, 1870, died January 28, 1939. Early in life he was married. He leaves six boys, Otis Perkins of Stillwater; Ardle and Jeptha Perkins of Combs; John Henry, Tommie and Hamilton Perkins of West Virginia. Mrs. Frank Gibson of White Oak, Mrs. Chester France Mrs. Beech Knicely of West Virginia. Early in life he united with the Church of Christ and left a bright testimony saying he was willing and ready to go. He died at Hazard and was brought to his brother's, George Perkins, here Saturday night. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Ark Smith, R. H. Nickell, and Jim Wilson (Singing Jim). The body was laid to rest in the Perkins cemetery on M. F. Perkins farm.

Rev. James Wilson of Nadie is conducting a revival meeting at this place assisted by Rev. R. H. Nickell, A. C. Smith and J. F. Walter. Everybody invited to come and enjoy the wonderful messages.

Lena Perkins, who has been at Lexington the past three weeks, returned home Saturday accompanied by her aunt Margaret Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Zach Haney, who had been in the hospital at Paintsville, have returned home much improved. BILL

UPPER PLEASANT RUN

Jan. 30.—Willard Quicksall of this place is very ill.

The Upper Pleasant Run School closed this week and the parents as well as the pupils were sorry to part with Miss Benton.

Squire Wm. Smith was in town two days last week.

Durward Oakley and Rador Watkins were in town Saturday.

Ira Smith was called to Whitesburg Tuesday to work.

Wm. Smith made a business trip to Wrigley Saturday.

Donald E. Webb transacted business in Yocum Saturday.

Warner Crisp of Rockhouse visited D. G. Oakley Friday night.

McKinley Fields, who was operated on some time ago for appendicitis, is doing nicely. BUBBLES

YOCUM

Jan. 27.—Mrs. Merry Engle is on the sick list this week.

Willard Quicksee is seriously ill.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Riggsby and left a fine baby boy last Friday.

Mrs. Elsie Lewis of Middletown, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McGuire, at this place.

Mrs. R. B. McGuire and Anna McGuire and Elsie Lewis were the all day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie McGuire last Friday.

Walter Cox is ill with flu.

Rev. Thomas and family are moving from this place to Grand Rapids, Michigan. We are sorry to give them up but we wish them much pleasure in their new home.

School closed here yesterday. They all had a nice treat of candy and oranges. Our teacher was Mrs. Olive Burton. BROWN EYES

GRASSY CREEK

Mrs. Maggie McClure visited with Mrs. Boyd Abbott of Grassy Lick, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Goodpaster had as guests Sunday David and Geneva Chambers of North Middletown, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Goodpaster and Nova Goodpaster of Phills Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sowards of Grassy visited friends and relatives at Carter Saturday.

Maureen Chaney had as guests Sunday night Miss Euna Goodpaster of Grassy and Floyd Sheets of Bearwallow.

Mrs. Clayton Goodpaster of Phills Branch returned home Sunday from Mary Chiles Hospital at Mt. Sterling.

Marie Cecil spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Stamper.

Mildred Gevedon, who has been ill with flu, is able to be out again.

CANEY

Jan. 31.—Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benton, a girl—Rilla Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Peyton and son, Larue, of West Liberty, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Morris.

Luther Reed has purchased the Oscar Arnett and James Harper property which consists of three dwellings, a store and other buildings and lots located in Caney.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Allen of Cincinnati, died and brought back here and buried in the Stinson cemetery.

Forest Barker of Lykins was the Saturday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Astor Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ren Morris were visiting Mrs. Morris' parents in Rowan county last week.

School was out here last Friday. A program was given and a large crowd attended.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Martie Lewis, a girl. MT. GIRL

GRASSY CREEK

Jan. 31.—Gary Dean, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Owlan Chaney, who has been seriously ill for several days is improving.

Mrs. Corrinne Gevedon went to Louisville Tuesday where she plans to enter nurse's training.

Rev. D. W. Beculhimer of Dingus filled his regular appointment at Grassy Lick church Saturday and Sunday. A series of meetings will continue several days and nights.

J. R. Amyx is quite ill at this writing.

Maurine Gevedon gave a party Thursday night, January 26, in honor of her sister, Genoa's, birthday. About twenty-five young persons were present. The evening was spent playing music and games. Delicious homemade candy was served. Everybody enjoyed the evening and expressed their wishes for many more happy 'birthdays for Miss Genoa.

Rol Gevedon of Lexington spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Lula Gevedon, who has been ill for some time.

Malva Peyton of Jackson college visited home folks recently. O GEE!

Home from Lexington

Lucian Reed and wife and son, Bobby, spent Sunday here with Mr. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Reed.

FLORRESS

Jan. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith moved recently from Mossy Bottom into the house with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cox, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cottle moved one day last week from War Creek to Lacy Creek.

Walter Conley and Frozy Smith were married Wednesday, January 18. The young couple are living at Elk Fork.

Euna Williams, Clifford Nickell, and Wallace Jackson Brown all of this place entered school at West Liberty the second semester.

Buddy Nickell, who is in the Army at Indiana, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Minnie Nickell, here.

Edd Elam is ill with high blood pressure and is in the hospital at West Liberty.

Eulene Patrick and Ruth Nickell were Saturday night guests of Georgia and Helen Williams.

Wiley Williams was calling on friends at Elk Fork Saturday night.

Elbert Nickell and A. J. Pelfrey had business at West Liberty one day last week.

Euna and Delmer Williams, who are attending school at West Liberty, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Williams. EVENING STAR

MIMA

Thomas Rowland, who has been working at Ashland for quite awhile, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Proctor Fyffe have moved to Keeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fim Helton were the Saturday night guests of Irvin Holbrook.

Stanford Smith of Mima and Miss Jewel Gullett of Hargus were quietly married Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Smith had as guests Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Autie Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Smith and children ,Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Smith and Mr. Lonza Ferguson of Blaine, Millard Ferguson and Rev. Emory Ferguson of Blaine.

Miss Helen Smith is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Della Adkins of Ohio is visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Hill of Mima.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Webb were the Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Pelfrey.

John F. Rowland is very ill.

Aunt Ellen Sherman is seriously ill.

Jasper Wright has been seriously ill but is better.

Sanford Keeton is ill with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Keeton of Moon are visiting Mrs. Keeton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Smith, of this place. HARDSHELL

YOCUM

Jan. 29.—Effie Lewis, age 66, wife of John Henry Lewis deceased, died at her home Thursday, January 12, 1939, of pneumonia. Those surviving are one son, A. B. Lewis, of Yocum; one daughter, Mrs. Rome Oakley of Clearfield; four grand children, Paris Jolene, John Milbourn and Betty Lewis; and two great grand children, Jacquline and Ruth Salyers. She had joined the church early in life and among her last words was: I am ready to go. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her as she was always ready to lend a helping hand to the sick or needy. Funeral services were conducted at the home by Rev. Jesse Thomas and burial in the Lewis cemetery near here.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Alva Riggsby, January 20, a boy, Talmadge C.

R. B. McGuire made a business trip to West Liberty Friday.

Mrs. Jas. F. Lewis left a few weeks ago for Florida where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Eloise Lewis of Middletown, Ohio, who had been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McGuire, returned home Friday.

Miss Clarisa Dyer, who has had a severe attact of tonsilitis, is able to be out again.

Tom Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams of this place and Miss Clemma Carroll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Carroll of Pomp, were quietly married January 21. Every one wishes them much happiness and success thru life.

Dovie Lewis made a business trip to Winchester last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Thomas and children left Friday for Grand Rapid, Michigan, where they will make their future home.

Walter Cox, who has been very sick with flu, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Robbins spent Saturday night with Mrs. Robbins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Oakley.

Boyd Brown visited his brother, Ret Brown, at Pomp, Saturday.

We are very glad to have with us Misses Beatrice Mohr and Ruth Barick, as helpers in the Sunday school here. e.

closed her school here Thursday. The children were all pleased with their nice gifts and treat, but Mrs. Burton will be missed by all the children and also the community.

Willard Quicksall, who has been in failing health for some time, is quite ill at this writing.

Success to the Courier.

CROCKETT

Jan. 30.—Leona, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fannin, who was recently operated on for appendicitis, is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ferguson and little daughter, Virginia, of Moon, are visiting Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Cox.

Cannel City first and second basketball teams were defeated here Friday by the Crockett teams.

Mrs. Percy Skaggs and two infant daughters of Terryville were visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary S. Barker, the past two weeks.

Oscar Gibson of Isonville was the Saturday dinned guest of Lee Skaggs and spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. J. Hady Ferguson.

Mrs. S. V. Conley of Skaggs visited her daughter, Mrs. H. R. Cox, the week end.

Kermit Skaggs and Clarence Wright are at home from Morehead college on a few day's visit.

The PTA is sponsoring some plays which will be given in the near future.

Harold Lyon of Moon is trucking coal to Crockett for the school.

The NYA boys have built a house over the well at the school house.

J. W. Fannin and Autie Conley went to Paintsville for a load of goods one day this week.

Prof. Otis McGuire visited friends at Moon the week end.

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible school every Sunday at 10 A. M.

Preaching services by the pastor, Dr. G. C. Banks, the second and fourth Sunday of each month at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Prayer meeting and song service at 7:15 every Thursday night. Teachers' conference from 6:45 to 7:15.

Sunday school at 11 o'clock a.m.

Preaching services at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. every Sunday.

Lord's Supper the first Sunday night in each month.

Everybody is invited to attend these services, "Not forsaking the assembling of yourselves together."

ROSCO BRONG, Pastor

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

Church school 9:45 a.m.
Morning service 11:00 a.m.
Young people's service ...6:00 p.m.
Evening service 7:00 p.m.
Prayer service, Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

West Liberty — 1st & 3rd Sundays.
Goodwin's Chapel — 2nd Sunday.
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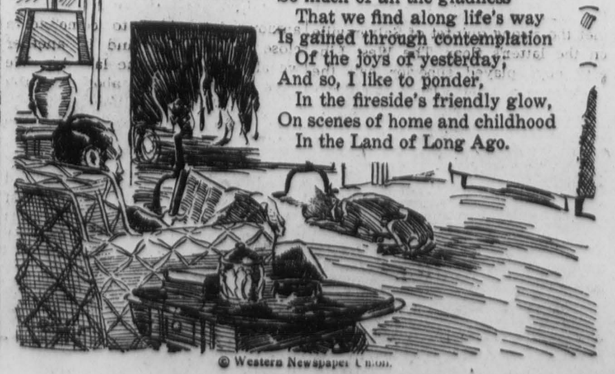
The Joys of Yesterday

by Lawrence Hawthorne

I like to sit and ponder
On the joys of yesterday;
So certain is the gladness
That such reveries convey!
I like to view, in fancy,
Many scenes I used to know,
And wander down the pathways
Where fond recollections grow.

The happy days of childhood—
How delightful it would be
If memories could truly
Bring them back to you and me!
So thoughtlessly we lived them,
Always eager for the dawn—
Regretful of their passing
Only after they were gone! . . .

So much of all the gladness
That we find along life's way
Is gained through contemplation
Of the joys of yesterday;
And so, I like to ponder,
In the fireside's friendly glow,
On scenes of home and childhood
In the Land of Long Ago.



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